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Dear Mr. CHELOMBITKO

Subject: Phytosanitary requirements for importing wheat grain, barley grain and soybean grain to Islamic Republic of Iran

Please find the attachments about phytosanitary requirements for importing **wheat (*Triticum aestivum*) grains, barley (*Hordeum vulgare*) grains and soybean (*Glycine max*) grain** from Ukraine. The importation will be possible with mentioned requirements and inspection by plant quarantine officials stationed at customs of each entry point.

Sincerely

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**Phytosanitary requirements for importing wheat (*Triticum aestivum*) grain
(for human edible and livestock feeding to Iran)**

- 1- Valid phytosanitary certificate from the country of origin, in whose A.D section (additional declaration), the following items are emphasized:
 - a. Goods are free from: *Trogoderma* spp. and *Araecerus fasciculatus*
 - b. Grains have been produced in a region which is free from: *Tilletia indica* and *Striga* spp.

Note:

Insertion of scientific names of above pests in phytosanitary certificate of the mentioned product is necessary, otherwise, product release will be prevented due to incomplete documents and the importer shall be responsible for any loss or damage.

- 2- The consignment must be free of soil, crop residue, weed seeds, live insects and plant disease symptoms.
- 3- Delivering the original phytosanitary certificate with mentioned requirements or the original Re-export phytosanitary certificate as well as other necessary documents to quarantine officers at the time of inspection of the consignment in destination border and customs clearance is mandatory. Otherwise, the importer will be found responsible for the consequences.
- 4- If the consignment is exported via a third country, the copy of phytosanitary certificate of country of origin having all notified conditions and sealed by quarantine department of the re-exporting country along with the original phytosanitary certificate for re-export should be submitted to plant quarantine officers in the entry border and releasing customs.

Note: Re-exporting from following countries due to existence of quarantine weed (*Striga asiatica*) and quarantine pest (*Tilletia indica*) is prohibited.



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**Phytosanitary requirements for importing barley (*Hordeum vulgare*)
grain for human edible and livestock feeding (excluding seed) to Iran**

1- Valid phytosanitary certificate from the country of origin, in which the freeness of consignment from the following pest is indicated in the Additional Declarations (A.D):

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| 1. <i>Araecerus fasciculatus</i> | 2. <i>Mayrtiola destructor</i> |
| 3. <i>Anguina agrostis</i> | 4. <i>Trogoderma spp.</i> |

Note: The scientific name of the above mentioned pest should be indicated in the phytosanitary certificate, otherwise; the documents are considered as incomplete. Moreover, any financial customs losses and non-delivery of the consignment due to the non-compliance are to be borne by the importer/s.

- 2- The consignment must be free of soil, crop residue, weed seeds, live insects and plant disease symptoms.
- 3- Delivering the original phytosanitary certificate with mentioned requirements or the original Re-export phytosanitary certificate as well as other necessary documents to quarantine officers at the time of inspection of the consignment in destination border and customs clearance is mandatory. Otherwise, the importer will be found responsible for the consequences.
- 4- If the consignment is exported via a third country the copy of phytosanitary certificate of country of origin having all notified conditions and sealed by quarantine department of the re-exporting country along with the original phytosanitary certificate for re-export should be submitted to plant quarantine officers in the entry border and releasing customs.



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Phytosanitary requirements for importing soybean grain (*Glycine max*) for human edible and oil extraction (excluding seed) to Iran

- 1- Valid phytosanitary certificate from the country of origin.
- 2- The germination capacity of grain should be less than 25% with a common procedure in the country of origin and this should be confirmed by a valid international inspection company; the relevant certificate as well as other necessary documents should be delivered to quarantine officers in entry border.
- 3- Necessary test for germination capacity is carried out by quarantine officers in the entry border.
- 4- The consignment must be free of soil, crop residue, weed seeds, live insects and plant disease symptoms.
- 5- Delivering the original phytosanitary certificate with mentioned requirements as well as other necessary documents to quarantine officers at the time of inspection of the consignment in destination border and customs clearance is mandatory. Otherwise, the importer will be found responsible for the consequences.
- 6- If the consignment is exported via a third country the copy of phytosanitary certificate of country of origin having all notified conditions and the certificate of non-germination of grain that sealed by quarantine department of the re-exporting country along with the original phytosanitary certificate for re-export should be submitted to plant quarantine officers in the entry border and releasing customs.

Note: Re-exporting from a third country is only possible by obtaining the approval of PPO of Iran in advance.